



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant(s): Ramachandran et al.
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Sir:

On June 27, 2001, an Office action was issued in the above-referenced application, setting a 3-month shortened statutory period for response.

This is a petition for a 2 - month extension of time pursuant to 37 CFR § 1.136(a).

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